FIGHTERS' TRAINING FADS NOW **INCLUDE TENNIS AND GOLF**

Wille Ritchie Finds Links' Game Splendid Conditioner for Work of Ring-Mike Gibbons Prefers Wielding Racquet-Old-Timers Went in for Handball but Fitz Liked to Work With Wild

Copyright, 1916, by The Press Publishing Co. (The New York Evening World). FILLIE RITCHIE is one fighter who doesn't do all of his training in a gymnasium. Willie dossn't care a great deal for training with the implements of his trade.

His favorite training exercise to

Willie Ritchie isn't an old man. He laughs at the idea that golf is "an old man's game."

"I like to play golf while training for a fight," Ritchie told me a short time ago. "It is the best all around exercise I know of and it doesn't tie up a fellow's muscles. Golf makes you loose and limber. It furnishes a lot of good work for the legs and the wind, with all the hill climbing and the walking about. The walking is done under the best possible conditions, on soft, springy turf. Walking on atone sidewalks or hard macadamized road stiffens an athlete's lega.

Walking on turf makes them limber. There is just enough exercise in swinging a club to keep your body movements free, which is important in

"Using the club exercises and develops the forearms and keeps the shoulders loose. I've noticed that all professional golf players have fine thick forearms. A fighter needs a good forearm to go behind his punch. That's why caulkers, blacksmiths, carpenters, sailors and tronworkers have penters, sailors and tronworkers have turned out so many good fighters. "Using the club exercises and deturned out so many good fighters. fight

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Men who handle tools get strong hands and wrists and forearms. Handling golf clubs has the same effect.

GOLF DEVELOPS AN EVEN TEMPERS.

"One of the advantages of golf is that it develops an even temper, and that's the most important thing a fighter can take into the ring. If you lose your temper in playing golf, or get rattled or burried after making a poor shot, down goes your game. You practice mental balance all the time. You figure on being cool and deliberate fighter, who never gets

| Crack stnateur than of winning a fight. | Jeffries played handball, but his real ambition was to shine as a baseball player. Like Terry McGovern. Jeffries sometimes thought he had missed his vocation, and that he would have been a better ball player than fighter. But, of course, Jeff's great sport was hunting and fishing, and nothing else compared with these in his estimation, or ever played such a part in his training periods.

Terry McGovern used to travel with the Giants to their spring training camps. He tried many times to induce John McGraw to give him a chance to break into baseball, but John knew a ball player when he saw one, and was satisfied to watch Terry in the ring. and deliberate fighter, who never gets FITZSIMMONS LIKED TO TRAIN rattled when he makes a false move

"Golf is a fine thing to start training with, for in a few weeks of play one can take off extra weight and begin to harden down into condition almost without noticing that any Pitcher Sallee real work has been done. It isn't a grind."

Ritchie began playing golf when he was first world's lightweight champion. He was visiting a friend in California and was persuaded to try

a turn on the links.

WHEN ME FIRST TRIED IT.

"I thought is was a joke when I started." Ritchie told me, "but before I had gone oround the eighteen holes I had gone oround he eight in the city.

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likes to do a part of his training on the tennis courts. According to Mike the Sapulpa fireman, hung a knockout tennis is the finest game in the world, and the one best adapted to a boxer's needs. Mike played a lot of tennis at Brighten Beach during his preparation for the ten-round bout with McFartor the ten-round bout with McF was the training standby of such old time champions as Jim Corbett, Kid McCoy, Tommy Ryan and Jim Jenries. McCoy, Tommy Ryan and Jim Jeffries.
"It's good for your legs, your wind, your forearm, your bedy, and your eye and judgment of speed and distance," said Mike at Brighton.
"There's no other game like tennis for me."

HANDBALL WAS A GREAT GAME

William Guard to Umpire.
The Dyckman F. C., the crack semily process hat with the Manhattans to-more your afternoon at old Maroon Field.
Broadway and Dyckman Street. William Guard, press representative of the Metropolitan Opera House, who in former years played baseball, will umpire the contest.

FOR THE OLD CHAMPIONS.

WITH ANIMALS.

rattled when he makes a false move but is steady in the recovery, like a golf player, has a great advantage over a fellow who loses his mental poise when things don't go right.

"Golf helps accuracy in hitting."

You get a habit of concentrating on your target, just as you do in a fight.

"Another fine thing about the game is that it takes you away from all excitement. I like nothing better than to spend the day before a fight playing a slow, comfortable game of golf. It calms my nerves and takes my mind off the fight. I get interested in the game and forget all about the fight. The change of scene from the training camp, with the crowds of visitors always talking about the fight and asking questions, is restful. And the smell of the green grass and the trees and flowers gets me away from the odor of liniments and rubdowns and sweaty clothes that you always find around any symnasium.

"Golf is a fine thing to start trainwith the smallest possible movement, and he didn't move quite far enough, He thought that a great joke too.

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Harry Sailee, star pitcher of the RITCHIE THOUGHT GOLF A JOKE

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Thursday night.

William Guard to Umpire.

Jim Corbett always trained in a pole Greents. Admission 50t. -Advi.

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FIGHTERS NOW USE GOLF AND TENNIS IN TRAINING.



DAILY REVIEW OF BIG LEAGUE PENNANT RACES

WHILE TRAINING

FOR HIS FIGHTS.

Giants Conclude Disastrous Defense Of the Western Invasion To-Day

Locals Have Won but Three Games From Entire Wild and Woolly Contingent, Dropping From a Fighting Chance at the Lead to a Weak Hold on Third Place.

WITH a new player on the bench 6,000 Eiks in the upper stand (this happens to be Elks Day) and erson, the Federal League spit baller, all moistened up and ready, the Giants will to-day conclude the most disastrous defense of a Western invasion that has ever besieged our fair city.

After that sensational winning home for the big reception, only to ardent fans who had expressed a willingness to wager the family plate

did not drop a single game. In poker they say it is a good policy to pound the loser, but with the Giants it is the reverse. They want to hop on the winners.

Not only has disaster overtaken the Giants, but it fell with sofourning the West and drop-ping games as they go. Bill ping games as they go. Bill Donovan has suffered the worst

reverse of the season on this trip. No matter what he does things break against him. In four of the recent defeats the New York pitchers excelled their opponents only to have the few hits made off them bunched.

Though the rain stopped them from finishing the game the Yanks and Indians managed to go far enough to get the money from that 14,000 crowd, a Friday record for Cleveland, by the way. Had they stopped one inning earlier rain checks would have been

COURSE POSITIONS.

.....Syracuse No. 4.....Cornell All races rowed downstream, with finish at line one mile south of Poughkeepsie Bridge.

MAJOR LEAGUE AVERAGES

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Vey, Harry Wills and "Rough House" declined to neet him.

Ware, the colored heavyweights; Ted "Kid" Lewis and Albert Badoud of France; Bob Devere, the Kansas City heavyweight; Mike Marie of Staten and Jack Kesting of Brookin will come to rain and; Pat Bradley, who has fought battles in Australia, and Harry Condon in the Barry's first fight in some time and he is in fine condition. battles in Australia, and Harry Condon of Brooklyn. Those who went with the fighters were Jim Buckley, Joe Woodbonta for the next hoxing entertainment of the man, George Lawrence, Charley John-Pioner sporting Club on Wednesday night. Two ing purses and travelling expenses, is Mike Giver of Boston, one of the best welte \$115,000.

Bantamweights will have the call in the two

main bouts to be staged at the beging r main bouts to be staged at the beging show of the Pairmont A. C. of the Bronz to night. Wille-Jackson and Teddy Jacobs and Johnny Pisse of New Orleans and Jack Sayles of this city will battle in the two ten-round contests, while in the Benny Leonard to hard at work for his battle

Henry Leonard is farm at werk for his battle style, be Moran of New Orliens at the Harlem Sporting Club on next Friday night. Banny says he will weigh about 132 pounds when he faces Moran as he is anxious to score a knockout over him. Charley Leonard and Holly Woods of Brooklyn clash in the settl-fittal of ten rounds. Three matches have been arranged for Jimmy Three matches have come arranged for Jimmy Duffy, the west aided lightweight, by his manager, Willio Relliv. On Monday night, June 20, he faces Johnny Harvey at the Olympic Chab; Joe Mooney, June 30, at the Phones Sporting Club, and Bud Palmer at Hammel's July 11.

ston, Benny Murphy and trainers Dave Mills and Alexander Goodman. There up the card, in the ten-rounders Johnny were seventeen in the party, and Billy "Young" Lustig will take on Bothy Moore and Gibson, who arranged the bouts for the Eddie Nugent of Nutler, N. J., will hook up carnival, declared that the cost, includ-

Including the \$10,000 he is to recaire for fighting Albert Radoud, the welterweight champion of Europe, at Buenos Ayres the latter part of next mouth, Ted Lewis has made \$49,000 out of the thirty-six bettles which he has fought in exactly one year under the management of Jimmy John. Frank Floming, who still claims the feather.

Joe Welling, the clever Chicago lightweight, has fact that he can no longer make the weight, 122 Joe Welling, the clerer Chicago lightweight, has been substituted for Preddie Welling. The Montreal of Montreal of the Pounds at the National A. C. of Marieville. N. Y., on next Wedneslar night, and on Monday creating, June 26, he will take on either Johnny O'Leary or Kid Kansas of Buffalo for ten rounds at Rochesfer, N. Y.

Buffalo for ten rounds at Rochesfer, N. Y.

Firming has been substituted for Preddie Welan.

Tennis Notes

George M. Church and Dean Mathey slipped and splashed around the courts of the Bronxville Athletic Association with such activity yes-terday as to win places in the final and championship round of the Met-ropolitan lawn tennis singles. The former Princeton stars played and won under difficulties, for the rain spoiled what otherwise might have been fine execution.

Willio Relliv. On Monday night, June 28, ha faces Johnny Harver at the Olympic Club; Joe Moones, June 20, at the Promes Sporting Club, and Bud Palmer at Hammel's July 11.

Billy Miske, the promising St. Paul middle, weight, who has fought Jack Dillou two hard tensor cound lattice in the West, is another Western fighter who will display his fighting ability for the first time in this vicinity at the Clemont A. C. of Brooklyn next Thurshay night He will so against Jack Hubbard, the light hearyweight of Philadelphis, for ten rounds.

The Broadway Sporting Club of Brooklyn will hold its regular weekly being show to-might, fourth Brandt of Brooklyn and Al. Shubert of New Bedford, Mass. the fast bantamweights, will he the principals in the main go of ten rounds, while Young Silent Martin and Dummy Burns, the deaf mates will also go ten rounds.

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PUTTING 'EM OVER With "Bugs" Baer

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"G IANT Victories Are as Scarce as 400-Pound Jockeys."

Freddy Weish will :

To-day's game at the Polo Grounds should be intensely interesting, as the management will announce the winner of the Poughkeepsie regatta.

Johnny Dundes distributed \$347 blows last neck and they were all divided among Benny Leonard.

A judge will sentence a bird to Matteawan for muttering to himself, and then proceed to chatter Pekingese and Sanskrit to a golf ball that ain't got any more cars than a

Being a baseball hero is almost as permanent an occupation as smoking a panatela in one of Mr. du Pont's laboratories. Buzz pennant prospects to an Ath-letic fan and his face will register all the vivacious and animated expres-

ston of a worm. As fighting has been thoroughly commercialized why not go through with it and decide the light weight little by section?

ATHLETIC AILMENTS.

PROMOTER'S This dread epidemic CHIN. fortunately is con-fined strictly to the eastern and westfined strictly to the eastern and west-ern hemispheres and is accompanied by a chronic vacillation of the chin, which waggles to and fro day and night. The fiercer it attacks wrestling and fighting promoters the more the public suffers. In its advanced stages it is accompanied by a vacuity of the dome and an utter disregard of old John Public's money. The only cure is time and a pair of earmuffs.

Speaking of baseball veterans remember that Terry Turner hasn't travelled on half-fare tickets for quite a few months either. And George McBride doesn't

take his guardian along when he wants to buy an emergency Also remember that Jake Daubert only wears short pants while

on the field. And that Mike Doolan hasn't farmed hinself out to the Giants just to get more experience.

And it's been several minutes since that infant Bob Groom amused the family by putting his

If Pennsylvania rows to-day's regatta in fairly fast time the boys will finish the race just in time to start training for next year's affair.

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Next year will be a tough one for the rowing coaches, as Leap Year will be over and they will only have 365 days to practice in.

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